

**To:** Adams, Wendy[Adams.Wendy@epa.gov]  
**From:** Boykin, Michael  
**Sent:** Fri 8/14/2015 11:46:22 PM  
**Subject:** RE: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Perfect, go and do good work and also have fun!

Sincerely,

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**From:** Adams, Wendy  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 4:45 PM  
**To:** Boykin, Michael  
**Subject:** FW: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Looks like it is getting resolved. Thank you for listening and caring.

**From:** Nakatsu, Jason  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 4:33 PM  
**To:** Miller, Johanna  
**Cc:** Adams, Wendy; Cristiano, Gina; Terada, Calvin  
**Subject:** RE: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Totally get your email and both Gina and I were on the same page in regards to your response. In fact I responded to SHEMD HQ with a similar response to your email below. Just give me a call when you can and we will chat.

**From:** Miller, Johanna  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 5:29 PM  
**To:** Nakatsu, Jason  
**Cc:** Adams, Wendy; Cristiano, Gina; Terada, Calvin  
**Subject:** Re: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Jason - I am concerned that this will cause a significant delay in deployment that won't respond to David's request to have CISM support as soon as possible. The RSC policy indicates we will allow personnel to perform work similar to their normal job duties. Wendy routinely performs the kind of work she will be asked to do as part of her job duties in Region 10. Her supervisor will also send an email documenting this for your records. Johanna Miller

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 14, 2015, at 5:16 PM, Nakatsu, Jason <[Nakatsu.Jason@epa.gov](mailto:Nakatsu.Jason@epa.gov)> wrote:

Please coordinate the medical screening with your R10 SHEM manager Grady Maxwell. I got my hand slapped today by HQ as they informed me that ALL employees including those who will not be performing field activities need a pre deployment screening.

**From:** Adams, Wendy  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 5:02 PM  
**To:** Nakatsu, Jason; Miller, Johanna; Chavez, Luke; Pearson, Janice  
**Cc:** Honnellio, Anthony; Groman, Craig J CIV  
**Subject:** RE: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

I have 24 hour H&S, but I have not had a medical screening and am not in medical surveillance.

**From:** Nakatsu, Jason  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 4:01 PM  
**To:** Miller, Johanna; Chavez, Luke; Pearson, Janice  
**Cc:** Honnellio, Anthony; Adams, Wendy; Groman, Craig J CIV  
**Subject:** RE: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Prior to the arrival of CISM folks they need to have a medical screening if they are not in medical surveillance and they need to have at minimum the 24 hour field health and safety course completed. Have these two items been confirmed through their regions Safety Health and Environmental Manager?

**To:** Chavez, Luke; Nakatsu, Jason; Pearson, Janice  
**Cc:** Honnellio, Anthony; Adams, Wendy; Groman, Craig J CIV  
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The second CISM team member will be Wendy Adams, Region 10 (206) 245-9956. She will also arrive August 15<sup>th</sup>.

**From:** Chavez, Luke  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 3:40 PM  
**To:** Miller, Johanna; Nakatsu, Jason; Pearson, Janice  
**Cc:** Honnellio, Anthony

**Subject:** RE: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Hey Johanna – Thanks for dealing with this. I am going to punt to Janice Pearson on this (AC logistics/resources) since AC originated the order. I will defer to Janice for the 213 process.

Thanks Janice! ☺

Luke (RESL)

**From:** Miller, Johanna  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 2:20 PM  
**To:** Chavez, Luke; Nakatsu, Jason  
**Cc:** Honnellio, Anthony  
**Subject:** FW: CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Luke – I am working on identifying two CISM team members to deploy to Durango on Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. They have been requested to support both the AC and the IC so let me know how you would like to handle the 213 if needed. As a national team, HQ is in the loop as you see below.

Definite: Anthony Honnellio, Region 1 (617) 947-4414

As soon as I have the second person confirmed I will get you that information.

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**From:** Eoc, Epahq  
**Sent:** Friday, August 14, 2015 8:15 AM  
**To:** Woodyard, Josh; Schlieger, Brian; Beasley, Craig  
**Cc:** Miller, Johanna; Lee, Eugene; Beasley, Craig  
**Subject:** CISM Deployment request to Gold King Mine, Durango, CO

Request for CISM Presence at the Gold King Mine Site, Durango, CO

Per the request from the Incident Area Commander, David Ostrander, Region VII is requesting the EPA's CISM Team to deploy and provide CISM/PEER Support. The HQ CISM Coordinator and Region's VIII's CISM are currently formulating a CISM Response Team to deploy to the Incident Area Command Center in Durango, CO. The Team will provide CISM for Emergency Responders for stress related health concerns.

The HQ Coordinator will secure a two CISM Team to deploy to Durango, CO. The Deployment is scheduled for two weeks or less. If requested, and second CISM team will be created and deploy to the same location for an additional two weeks or shorter.

All CISM communications coordination will be conducted between the HQ Coordinator and Region VII's CISM Team Lead.

A general summary closeout report will be generated at the end of tour.